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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office of an application for patent in the name(s) of:

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entitled:
DATA RECORDING AND/OR REPRODUCING APPARATUS, METHOD, AND SYSTEM AND RECORDING MEDIUM

The following are enclosed:
- **X** Specification (23 pages)
- **X** **11** Sheet(s) of Drawings
- **X** **70** Claim(s) (including __13__ independent claim(s))
- ___ This application contains a multiple dependent claim

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